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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

No business was transacted yesterday in the Senate or House; Representative Kitchen offered a resolution to repeal the 15th amendment to the constitution. —— Miss Margaret Hobson is sued for $10,000 damages by her colored maid, for false arrest and imprisonment. —— Democratic senators will attack the administration on its course in Panama. —— Receivers for the Olympia cotton mills in Columbia, S. C., have been discharged and the injunction dismissed. —— Massachusetts cotton mills announce a ten per cent. reduction in wages of employes to go into effect Nov. 23rd. —— Norwegian barque Olivia wrecked on Grand Cayman island. —— Said in Washington that it is too late for Colombia to resurrect the canal treaty with the United States; all rumors of German interference in Colombian affairs are baseless. —— Revolutionists are bombarding the city of San Domingo. —— Three hundred delegates are in attendance upon the convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy in Charleston, S. C. —— Hundreds of petitions protesting against Reed Smoot retaining his seat in the Senate were filed yesterday. —— Naval reserves at Newbern have reported to the sheriff to prevent a rumored lynching. —— The North Carolina Midland Railroad has declared a dividend of two and a half per cent. —— A blizzard is raging on the Pacific coast; railroad traffic is seriously impeded. —— Five people killed and others badly injured in a railroad accident near Erie, Pa. —— New York markets: Money on call strong at 3½@4 per cent; cotton quiet at 11.15c; flour was dull and weak; wheat—spot weak, No. 2 red 83½; corn—spot easier; No. 2 50½c.; oats—spot easier, No. 2 40½c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 11.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 49 degrees; 8 P. M., 63 degrees: maximum, 72 degrees; minimum, 46 degrees; mean, 59 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .71.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 2.8 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—For North Carolina: Fair in west; rain and cooler in east portion Thursday; Friday fair; fresh west winds.

Port Almanac---November 12.

Sun Rises	6.33 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.55 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 22 M.
High Water at Southport.	1.35 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	4.05 P. M.

The surname of Frederico Boyd sounds rather Yankeefied. Wonder if that isn't Fred Boyd?

The puny republics seem to have no rights that the "world powers" are bound to respect.

The Chicago man whose name is Damrich may not be that rich, although he has a rather plutocratic name.

When Senator Morgan "calls up" the 1846 canal treaty during the extra session of Congress there will be something doing.

In effect Senator Hanna says we want the Panama canal built, and we are going to take advantage of this opportunity to built it.

Senator Hanna seems to be the President's right hand man in the Panama matter. If Mark can't be President he is the next thing to it.

The Raleigh *Post* wants this to be understood: "It should be made clear to the simplest understanding that the citizen of Halifax who killed eight coons in one night was not trying to exterminate the colored population."

Some of the Republican leaders in North Carolina profess to have hope of shaking the foundations of Democracy next year. Well the faithful will have to do something to keep lined up when the "feed trough" is uncovered.

The President's message to Congress on Tuesday was succinct and direct to the point—reciprocity with Cuba. He gave good reasons why we should carry out our obligations to Cuba. By the way the North Carolina delegation in Congress has decided to stand by reciprocity.

Before the Washington government concludes a canal treaty with the representative of the new Republic of Panama, hadn't we better wait until the new republic becomes a fixture. Doubtless, however, President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay have already decided that Panama has come to stay.

The attitude of the Democrats in Congress towards the Panama matter has not materialized yet. Senators Morgan and Carmack severely denounce the steps taken by Roosevelt, but the Democratic steering committee decided at a meeting on Tuesday to wait until there is further light on the subject before advising the Democrats to take any position on the question as a party. Senator Morgan was before the committee for a time and advocated a vigorous policy of criticism.

A COLORED WOMAN SHOT.

Henrietta Hill, Impossible to Kill, Again in the Hospital for Treatment of a Pistol Wound.

Henrietta Hill, a notorious female character of "Dross Neck," is leading something of a tragic life lately. Twice recently she has been in the hospital for treatment of wounds that were believed at first to have been fatal, and a third time last night, shortly after 12 o'clock, she was carried to that institution with a pistol shot wound that may put an end to her somewhat checkered and disreputable career.

She was shot last night in the back, the bullet from a pistol entering her anatomy at the base of the lung on the left side, slanting slightly upward. Dr. Akerman was unable to ascertain last night whether the ball penetrated the lung or not. If it did the wound is a very serious one; otherwise it will not prove fatal. The shooting occurred in the woman's house at Second and Brunswick streets, and Henry Williams, colored, was soon afterwards arrested by Policeman E. Skipper, charged with firing the shot. Williams came here some time ago as cook on the schooner "C. C. Lister," but had been in the hospital for treatment of rheumatism until yesterday. Although the woman and another man in the room at the time identify him as the man who did the shooting, Williams claims that he was in Chapman's bar at the time and can prove the alibi.

The woman was shot two or three months ago through the right lung, but the hospital people finally brought her around all right. A short while ago she was also in the hospital with a badly gashed up scalp. It would be her luck to recover again this time, just as she twice did before.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Philadelphia quoted lettuce yesterday $2@$2.75.

— Dennis Nobles, white, was arrested by Policeman Evans at Second and Walnut streets yesterday afternoon, charged with vagrancy.

— On account of the inability of several members to attend to-night, the opening german of L'Agile Cotillon Club has been postponed until later in the month.

— License was issued yesterday for the marriage of a colored couple—Dennis Perkins, aged 62, and Julia McDonald, aged 36. Five license were issued by the Register of Deeds during the day.

— Frank James, colored, was arraigned in Justice Fowler's court yesterday and found not guilty of the larceny of a pocket book containing $1.98 from Maria Hollinsworth, also colored, who preferred the charge.

— Announcement is made of the marriages of Miss Margaret Ruth Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Clark, of Masonboro, to Mr. Eduard R. Rhue, of Greenville, N. C., and Miss Sarah Solomon to Mr. Geo. W. McGowan, both of Wrightsville.

— Charlotte *News*: "Mr. Robert Schaefer, resident manager of the Fidelity and Casualty Co., of New York, has been down to Spartanburg to settle with Capt. J. H. Sloan who recently dislocated his knee cap. Captain Sloan received $1,150.

— Master John L., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wescott, who was injured in a bicycle collision on Princess street late Tuesday afternoon, was much improved yesterday. Mr. Wescott investigated the collision and found that the negro arrested was not to blame for the accident. Mr. Wescott asked the Mayor not to prosecute the case in the police court yesterday morning.

NEWS OF THE QUARANTINES.

Two Lifted and Three Established—Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria.

The Health Department yesterday lifted two and established three quarantines for diphtheria and scarlet fever. Those raised were at the residences of Mr. T. J. Rann, 513 North Seventh, and Mr. Mr. J. F. Maunder, 215 North Fifth street, the first named for scarlet fever and the latter for diphtheria. Those established are as follows:

Caroline Holmes, seven years old, the little daughter of Mr. Arthur Holmes, No. 11 North Seventh street, scarlet fever.

James Russell, 13 years old, son of Capt. J. P. Russell, No. 211 Red Cross street, diphtheria.

Leslie M. Page, nine years old, son of Mr. P. L. Page, No. 111 North Eighth street, diphtheria.

Mr. Jno. A. Nixon Weds.

Mr. Jno. A. Nixon, the well known and popular fish and oyster dealer, late of the firm of Fales & Nixon, last night at his new home, near Ninth and Orange streets, married Miss Minnie M. Shepard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Shepard, No. 817 Chesnut street. The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock in the presence of a few friends by the Rev. M. C. Walton, of Burgaw. Mr. and Mrs. Nixon will reside in Wilmington.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wilmington Baking Co.—Fruit cake

Paris Millinery Emporium—New skirts and waists.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Grace Ch. Rooms—Entertainment.

Only Restaurant—Ladies' restaurant

BUSINESS MEN CALL.

Prominent Wilmingtonians Received by Capt. Shoemaker, Chief of R. C. S.

ABOARD U. S. S. GRESHAM.

Request That Revenue Cutter be Stationed Permanently Here — Encouragement Given — The Visitors are Being Entertained.

At noon yesterday a party of representative business men, including State and county officers, called upon Capt. C. F. Shoemaker, Chief of the Revenue Cutter Service, who is here on an official inspection aboard the U. S. S. "Gresham," now lying at the Custom House wharf. Among those in the party were Mayor W. E. Springer, City Attorney Wm. J. Bellamy and Messrs. H. C. McQueen and S. P. McNair, of the Board of Audit and Finance, representing the municipality; Maj. Wm. F. Robertson and Mr. M. W. Divine, commissioners, representing the county government; President J. A. Taylor, and Messrs. M. S. Willard, S. P. McNair, L. B. Rogers and M. F. H. Gouverneur, of the Executive Board of the Chamber of Commerce; Messrs. W. W. Jacobi, Geo. O. Gaylord and C. M. Whitlock, representing the Merchants' Association; Hon. John D. Bellamy, ex-Congressman from this district who peculiarly endeared himself to the people of the Revenue Cutter Service during his two terms in the House; Mr. H. G. Smallbones, superintendent of the Clyde Steamship Co., in this city; Capt. Jno. F. Divine, of the Atlantic Coast Line; Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, Col. Walker Taylor, Mr. M. J. Corbett and other distinguished citizens, including many personal friends of Capt. Shoemaker, Capt. Walker, Lieut. Chiswell and Engineer Turner, who had been previously stationed here. The visitors were most cordially received aboard the ship, and in the afternoon carriages were placed at the disposal of Capt. Shoemaker and the officers of the cutter, who enjoyed a drive about the city.

The delegation of business men who called on Capt. Shoemaker requested that another cutter be assigned to this port as soon as possible. Capt. Shoemaker said that it was the intention of the department to assign a first-class vessel to Wilmington, which will probably be either the "Gresham" or the "Algonquin." He could not say when the vessel would be sent, but probably this Winter. Capt. Shoemaker's attention was incidentally called to the deplorable condition of the Custom House wharf, plans for the repair of which have already been drawn and proposals have been invited.

Last night Capts. Shoemaker and Walker and their officers were entertained at the Cape Fear Club. The ship will probably proceed South this morning. In addition to the officers of the "Gresham," mentioned in yesterday's paper as having been previously stationed here, there are also Chief Engineer W. F. Blakemore and Lieut. Henry Uike, both of whom are remembered as having been here on the "Morrill" in 1897.

ORANGE STREET EXTENSION.

Work Begins This Morning on Laying Additional Water Mains—Protection.

Work will be commenced this morning by 35 hands under Foreman James D. Mote upon the extension of the water main on Orange and Ninth streets, a contract for which was recently let by Chairman S. Behrends, of the City Water Works Committee, to Maj. Wm. F. Robertson. The material is all on the ground and Foreman Mote will rush the work with the dispatch that is characteristic of him in everything that he undertakes, from reading a water metre to the management of the stage at the Academy for the production of the grandest opers.

The pipe to be laid is of the regulation size and quality and will extend from Eighth and Orange to Ninth and Orange and from Ninth and Orange to Ninth and Market streets, connecting at the latter point with the other main and affording splendid fire protection to all that vicinity.

Boy Broke His Arm.

While playing with a number of children of about his own age on the back fence of his father's yard at southeast corner of Seventh and Walnut streets, little David Thompson, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Thompson, fell to the ground yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock and sustained a bad fracture of his left arm at the elbow. Drs. C. D. Bell, A. H. Harriss and Mr. William Nicstlie set the broken arm and at last accounts the little fellow was doing very well. This is Master David's first year at school and he is impressed with the importance of prompt attendance. As soon as he was taken into the house yesterday, his first words were a request to his mother that she write a note to his teacher informing her that he would be unable to be at school on the following day.

Steamer "Planter" Here.

The steamer "Planter," Capt. Bennett, arrived yesterday afternoon from Georgetown, S. C., with a cargo of 439 bales of cotton for Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. She is discharging at the compresses and expects to sail for the return trip to-day.

COMING OF HENRY E. DIXEY.

"Facing the Music," Bright Comedy to be Presented To-morrow Night—The Sale Begins This Morning.

Theatre-goers of the more artistic tastes are looking forward with great pleasure to the engagement of the distinguished New York comedian, Henry E. Dixey, and company at the Academy of Music to-morrow night, presenting the big success, "Facing the Music," which will be the only offering of the week. The sale of seats begins this morning at 8 o'clock at Plummer's; prices $1.50, $1.00, 50 and 25 cents. The company comes direct from Charleston, S. C., Savannah and Atlanta, Ga. The *Journal* of the last named city said of the production in that city Monday night:

"FACING THE MUSIC."

"'Facing the Music,' when carried along by such a company as Mr. Dixey and his excellent support furnish, is an ideal kind of a comedy with never a dull situation from curtain raise to curtain fall. The plot is intricate, twisted and skillfully woven—the situations wildly hilarious, humorous and bubbling over with action and life. A house full of Smiths are turned loose in one small flat and then the trouble begins in earnest for all the Smiths.

"The comedy is the kind that holds one's interest and provokes mirth from the very start. It is the kind that banishes dull care, for the company draws every ounce of humor from the plot and throws it broadcast to the winds

"Mr. Dixey himself is one of the cleverest comedians of the day. He has just enough repression and quiet force not to be called dull. His company is above the average of its kind, for there is not a weak member in the cast. Every one seems to have been moulded to fit in his or her part, and then they all get away with the flag and run well bunched until the wire is reached. And it might be added that the going was good all the way. Mr. Dixie concludes his performance in Atlanta to-night."

ENTERTAINMENT THIS EVENING.

Delightful Sociable Will be Given at Grace M. E. Church—Programme.

The entertainment to be given by the Circle of which Mrs. C. C. Covington is the president, to-night in the attractive rooms of Grace M. E. church, will be a delightful affair. The following programme has been arranged and the ladies are grateful to those who have so kindly contributed their valuable services:

Duet, vocal, "Zerita," (C. A. White,) Mesdames F. A. Muse, and C. D. Weeks.

Solo, piano, "Polonaise in E." (Liszt,) Mr. James Charles Craft.

Solo, vocal, selected, Mrs. J. D. Edwards.

Posing in Delsarte, Miss Mabel Bowler.

Quartette, "O, Shepherd of Israel," (C. P. Morrison,) Mesdames Weeks, Edwards, Wilder and Muse.

Accompanist—Mrs. Mattie Chasten. Refreshments will be sold. Admission 10 cents. The public invited.

FUNERAL OF MR. E V. ELWELL.

Remains Laid to Rest Yesterday Morning in Oakdale Cemetery—Services.

The funeral of the late Eli V. Elwell, whose sad death occurred Tuesday morning, was conducted from the Fulton House at 10 o'clock yesterday morning by the Rev. J. N. Cole, pastor of Grace Methodist church, and the remains were laid to rest in Oakdale. A number of very pretty floral designs were laid upon the grave as a token of the esteem in which Mr. Elwell was held by his friends in Wilmington.

The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. W. Stormfeltz, J. T. Howard, Frank Stanland, N. McIntosh, W. J. Flynn and Richard P. McClammy.

Rocked A. C. L. Train.

A special from Greenville, N. C., says that Tuesday night, as the southbound passenger train on that branch of the Coast Line was about a mile below Winterville, some one threw a two-inch iron tap through one of the car windows. The tap struck Mr. William Richardson, of Salem, one of the passengers, on the head, wounding him quite severely. Mr. Richardson stopped at Ayden, the next station, where he received medical attention. An effort was made to get bloodhounds to the scene to hunt the miscreant who threw the tap.

Removed to Wilmington.

Clarkton *Express*: "Bladen county regrets very much to lose Dr. W. K. Anders and his excellent family, who have recently moved to Wilmington. Dr. Anders is a splendid physician, and we hope will have a good practice there. He has been a member of the Board of Commissioners for a number of years. They are residing at 305 South Front street, where they will conduct a boarding house."

The November issue of the "Purple Folder" of the Atlantic Coast Line contains an accurate map of the State of Florida in addition to the map of the system, which adds to the attractiveness of this folder.

A VIOLET WEDDING.

Pretty Marriage Ceremony Yesterday Evening in St. James' Episcopal Church.

WITNESSED BY HUNDREDS.

Miss Cammie Anderson Lord the Bride of Mr. Elisha Lambert Holloway, of Maryland — Extended Bridal Tour. Decorations Superb

A lovely violet wedding, one of the prettiest ever celebrated in historic Saint James Episcopal church, was that which welded in the sacred bonds of matrimony yesterday evening at 6 o'clock Miss Cammie Anderson Lord and Mr. Elisha Lambert Holloway, both popular young society people of Wilmington. The ceremony was according to the beautiful service of the Episcopal church and was performed by the Rev. Richard W. Hogue, rector of the parish, in the presence of a fashionable assemblage of guests from this and other cities.

The decorations of the church were in white and green and were executed with the touch of an artist by special lady friends of the bride. The altar was banked with chrysanthemums and handsomely burnished candelabra from which tiny tapers burned brightly and shed a soft glow over the lovely marriage scene. Palms and ferns and a wealth of other evergreens were used to charming effect all over the church.

Long before the hour for the ceremony hundreds of friends began to assemble in the church and Mr. James Charles Craft, just before the entrance of the bridal party, rendered a programme of classical music. The party entered to the strains of a bridal chorus from Lohengrin. First came the ushers by twos, Messrs. Charles M. Cooke, Jr., and R. C. Sloan; then Mr. Dave Wilborne, of Richmond, Va., and Mr. Richard Bradley, followed by the charming little ribbon girl and boy, little Miss Athalia Bunting Rankin, in a lovely costume of accordeon plaited white organdie, and Master Robert Duval Jones, of Newbern, also in white. Then came the maid of honor, Miss Amoret Lord, cousin of the bride, closely followed by the bride on the arm of her uncle, Mr. F. Ancrum Lord, who gave her away. The bride was joined at the altar by the groom, who entered from the choir room with his brother, Prof. W. J. Holloway, of Salisbury, Md., best man. When the party had been grouped about the altar Rev. Mr. Hogue in impressive manner spoke the words which made the couple man and wife.

The bride wore a lovely creation of gray lansdowne, trimmed with point d' Paris lace. Her ornaments were diamonds, a handsome brooch, the gift of the groom. She wore a lovely black Gainsborough hat and carried a large shower bouquet of Palmer violets.

The maid of honor was fashionably costumed in a beautiful gown of accordeon plaited crepe de chine, trimmed with lace. She wore a white Gainsborough hat and carried a lovely bouquet of large white chrysanthemums.

The male attendants wore suits of Prince Albert coats and grey trousers, with gloves to match. Their boutonnieres were of Palmer violets.

The exit of the party was to the triumphant strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March. They drove to the residence of the bride's uncle at 304 South Front street, where a brief reception was held. The bride and groom then hastily prepared for an extended Northern tour, the bride's costume having been exchanged to a fashionable tailor-made gown of brown cloth. Congratulations of friends having been received, Mr. and Mrs. Holloway were accompanied to the A. C. L. station by a score or more of friends and on the northbound train they left amid a shower of rice and good wishes for a bridal tour, which will include a visit to Mr. Holloway's mother at Salisbury, Md., and a trip to Baltimore, New York and other points of interest North. They will return in two weeks and will be at home after Dec. 1st at the home of Mrs. M. Y. McKoy, at southeast corner of Front and Orange streets.

Miss Lord, the bride, is a member of one of the oldest and most aristocratic families of the lower Cape Fear. She is a daughter of the late Wm. C. Lord, of Wilmington, and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends here. The groom is a native of Maryland, but came to Wilmington three years ago and holds an important position with the Angola Lumber Co., in this city. The popularity of the couple was attested in no uncertain degree by the large number of costly wedding presents received in honor of their happy union.

Among the out-of-of town guests in attendance upon the wedding were Dr. and Mrs. Robert Duvall Jones, of Newbern, and Mrs. John Blount, of Washington, N. C.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday Geo. W. Fredericks and wife transferred to Robert C. Merritt, for $2,300, house and lot on south side of Chesnut, 50 feet west of Fifth street, 50x66 feet in size, and J. D. Mallard and wife, of Duplin, transferred to J. B. Mercer, for $300, lot in Harnett township at southeast corner of Pauline avenue and the old Newbern road, 80x100 feet in size.

Colonial Vases and Juvenile Dinner Sets on Display at Blesinger's China Parlors; 119 Market street.

CONTRACT FOR FIRE TUG.

Draft of an Agreement With Capt. Williams Now Being Prepared by City Attorney—The Provisions.

After a conference of the Fire Committee and Chief Charles Schnibben with Capt. Edgar D. Williams yesterday, City Attorney Bellamy was instructed to prepare a draft of the contract upon which Capt. Williams will equip the steamer "Marion" for use as a fire tug, pursuant to the plan as outlined by the Chamber of Commerce committee and recently adopted by the Board of Aldermen and approved by the Board of Audit and Finance with an appropriation of $1,200 for the first year's maintenance. All the details have not yet been agreed upon, but the differences are trivial and will likely be overcome and the contract signed within a day or two.

The agreement as drafted by the City Attorney will place the tug in responding to calls, under the supervision of Chief Schnibben and it will be required to respond to all alarms along the river from the "Dram Tree" to the northern line of the Angola lumber mill yard on the east side of the stream and on the west side from the "Dram Tree" to the northern extremity of Point Peter; also to alarms from that portion of the city bounded on the north by Campbell street; on the south by Church street; on the east by the western line of Second street and on the west, of course, by the river.

The boat is required to be under steam at all times from 6 P. M. to 6 A. M. and with two competent men aboard, one of whom shall be able to navigate the boat in the absence of the master. If the "Marion" leaves the city, another tug and lighter is required to be left at foot of Market street, subject to the orders of Chief Schnibben.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. E. J. W. Anders, of Ivanhoe, was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. T. C. Wooten, of Kinston, was an Orion guest yesterday.

— Mr. R. D. Caldwell, of Lumberton, spent yesterday in the city.

— Mr. J. A. Moore, of Fayetteville, was an Orion guest yesterday.

— Mr. R. M. Wescott expects to spend to-day at Burgaw on a business trip.

— Messrs. J. A. Murphy and E. A. Hawes, of Atkinson, N. C., were here yesterday.

— Capt. S. F. Craig left yesterday afternoon for Scranton, Miss., on a business trip.

— Mrs. M. O. Brice, of Hamlet, is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. McIntosh, on North Front street.

— Mrs. A. J. Gray, Jr., and little son, of Richmond, Va., are visiting Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Springer.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Miss Emily Hatch, of Asheville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lutterloh, on Haymount."

— Mrs. F. A. Wood and children, of Camden Junction, S. C., who have been visiting relatives in the city, returned home yesterday afternoon.

— Mr. Walter Love, assistant bookkeeper for the D. L. Gore Company, has resigned his position and will leave this morning for Lumber Bridge, N. C.

— Mr. Parker Lewis, of New York, the popular young travelling man for the Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen Co., is in the city for a few days, shaking hands with friends.

— Capt. R. P. Johnson, in charge of the U. S. Corps of Engineers for this district, arrived yesterday, accompanied by his family. They will reside on Dock, near Fourth street.

THE BULLET REMOVED.

Cartwright Woman at the Hospital Now Has a Fair Chance of Recovery.

The Cartwright woman, who has been lying for a week at the James Walker Memorial Hospital with a 38-bullet wound, nearly five inches deep in her head, now has a fair chance of recovery, strange as it may seem to relate. Yesterday Dr. Joseph Akerman, surgeon in charge of the hospital, found that an abscess had formed near the extremity of the wound, and upon opening it he easily removed the chunk of lead. The woman's chances are now better than since she was accidentally shot a week ago.

The woman's condition was necessarily worse last night after the operation, but if the wound now heals without further abscess, she will be all right. The removal of the bullet disclosed the fact that not only did the missile deviate slightly to the right, but it also ranged upward. The abscess formed on top of the head toward the back, where the bullet had lodged after penetrating the brain substance.

Prosecutor Didn't Appear.

Charles Goodman and Sam Jones, both colored, charged with the larceny of cross-ties from Mr. G. D. Robbins, of Brunswick county, were arraigned in Justice Fowler's court yesterday, but Mr. Robbins failed to appear and inasmuch as some of the witnesses were summoned from a distance of 16 miles, the prosecution was adjudged frivolous and Mr. Rogers was taxed with the costs. The negroes were discharged.

If you want a handsome Dinner Set for Xmas place your order in time. Blesinger's China Parlors. 119 Market street.

NEW SKIRTS AND WAISTS.

We have just received a big lot of

New Silks and Broadcloth Skirts.

Also New Fall Waists made of Silk, White Fleece lined, Pique, Mercerize, Flannels, Corderoy and Brilliantteens.

These are very fine goods and are selling fast.

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C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

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INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

For the purpose of discussing the ways and means to develop the industries of this county, all citizens are invited to meet at the Mayor's office at 8 o'clock this evening. The subjects discussed will be the importance of establishing a canning factory here to preserve the wasted strawberries, canning tomatoes, corn, okra, crab, shrimp, clams and oysters, such as are wasted or not used in this manner. If we shall have a factory, come to the meeting; and if we are not to have such a factory, come and say why not.

Such an institution will encourage the farmers to make and take care of this wasted product, have a home market for it, and putting us in the front ranks of getting better labor as well as more money out of the ground than heretofore, make our farming lands more profitable as well as giving employment to those who seek work, as well as add new thoughts to the industrial school now at work on this line.

WHO IS THIS E. A. MOORE?

Man Hailing Fom Wilmington Caused a Panic in Atlanta Public School.

[*Special to Savannah News.*]

ATLANTA, Nov. 10.—Quite a panic was created to day among the children of the Frazer Street School, when E. A. Moore, of Wilmington, N. C., just as school turned out, seized and carried off James Moore, a 10 year old boy, and attempted also to kidnap the boy's 12-year old sister.

Moore and his wife used to live at Baxley. Four years ago they separated. Mrs. Moore came to Atlanta to be with her brother, Dr. Mayo. Several times Moore had threatened to take the children, as well as well as to do bodily harm to his wife. Dr. Mayo, with the aid of the police, began a search of the city. They found Moore, with the boy, on Decatur street. Moore gave up the boy to an officer, but through some misunderstanding the latter failed to arrest Moore, who is supposed to have returned to North Carolina.

When Moore left this State he went into the mercantile business 15 miles from Wilmington, N. C., and that city is now his home.

Federal Court Negro.

Fayetteville *Observer*, 11th: "Henry Dixon, the negro who was badly shot by officers as he was attempting to escape from a train near Raeford, and who was wanted for illicit liquor dealing, managed to get through the Federal court at Wilmington. Yesterday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Monaghan arrested him in Wooten's grocery store, on Gillespie street, as he went in to get a bag, and committed him to jail, charged with stealing lumber from the Raeford Lumber Company. Dixon is a desperate negro, of great size and strength, being 6 feet 4 inches in height and weighing 250 pounds."

Cotton and Naval Stores.

Spirits turpentine was steady yesterday at 58c. There was nothing doing in rosin. Cotton advanced to 10¼ cents on a basis of middling and the receipts were 3,052 bales against 1,530 same day last year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mullets.

Full weight packages new fish.

Seed Rye and Oats.

BAGGING AND TIES.

Cargo SALT just arrived.

HALL & PEARSALL.

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FRUIT CAKE

For your Fruit Cake we have it cleaned and prepared ready for use:

Raisins 15c per lb., 2 for 25c
Currents 10c per lb., 3 for 25c
Citron 20c per lb., 3 for 50c
Orange Peel 20 per lb., 3 for 50c
Lemon Peel 20 per lb., 3 for 50c
Figs 15 per pound.
Shelled Almonds 35c per pound.
Shelled Walnuts 35c per pound.

WILMINGTON BAKING CO.,

Phil. Christ's Old Stand, 109 S. Front St.

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Rates for Sewer Service

Water Closets - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Kitchen Sinks - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Bath Tubs - - - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Fixed Wash Basins 25 cts per quarter, each
Fixed Laundry Tubs 50c per quarter, per set

We carry our pipes to your property line without charge, and rates do not go into effect until service is rendered.

The Wilmington Sewerage Co.

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UNLUCKY CORNER.

In addition to our complete stock of groceries we have Cluster Raisins, Figs, Malaga Grapes, Oranges, Celery, Cranberries, Turkeys and Chickens, Rye, Graham and Whole Wheat Flour, Buckwheat, genuine Maple Syrup, Schweitzer, Edam and Roquefort Cheese, choice Mackerel, Mullets, Trout and Fish Roe. When you want quick delivery phone 109. Smithfield, Springfield, Swift's premium and N. C. Hams. Mountain Buckwheat will arrive this week

Give us your order now for Thanksgiving Turkey.

S. W. SANDERS.

Both Phones 109. oc 28 tf

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Friday Night, November 13th.

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Mr. HENRY E. DIXEY,

in his greatest laughing success since his famous production of "Adonis,"

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Reserved seats $1.50 and $1. Sale at Plummer's Thursday. nov 11 3t

NEW GOODS.

We offer this week a great variety of season able goods, among them Onion Juice, Kitchen Bouquets.

Shelled Pecans, Shelled Almonds, Shelled English Walnuts.

Celery, Carrots
Cranberries, Parsnips
Ruta Baga Turnips.

New Flour of best quality, Wheat, Graham, Rye and Whole Wheat Flour. For sale low.

WILMINGTON GROCERY CO.,

JNO. L. BOATWRIGHT, Manager.

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BOWLING ALLEYS

For Benefit of the Ladies.

The Excelsior Tripie Bowling Alleys at 114 North Front street have been opened and the management desires to announce that upon a few hours notice the entire set of three alleys will be reserved exclusively for any party of ladies who may desire to use same. Absolutely no connection in any way with saloon below, nor will admittance be given to outsiders when alleys are reserved. No charge will be made to any party of ladies who may desire to use the alleys before November 10th.

'Phone 45. nov 3 tf

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 12.

SECESSION, OLD AND NEW.

In his statement explaining and justifying the action of President Roosevelt in the Panama revolution, Secretary Hay says:

"This brings us to the sudden and startling events which have so recently attracted the attention of this country and of the world. Although there has been no lack for many years past of numerous causes of discontent and anxiety among the people of Panama, it appears that the failure of the canal treaty convinced them that there was nothing more to be hoped for in their connection with the Colombian Government, which had never proved entirely satisfactory.

"They went to work with that talent for prompt and secret organization to which there is no parallel among people of Northern blood; they prepared the machinery of revolution in advance, and suddenly in a single day, without the firing of a shot, with the exception of a few shells that were thrown into the city from a Colombian steamer in the harbor of Panama, they accomplished their independence. A government consisting of leading citizens of the State was at once organized and proclaimed to the world. A part of the Colombian forces joined the revolution. The rest returned to Colombia, and, so far as we are able to judge, the new republic begins its career with no organized opposition throughout the entire extent of the isthmus."

This is, to all intents and purposes, a justification on the part of Secretary Hay of the action of the citizens of Panama. Panama was a State in the Republic of Colombia, and the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama is of vital importance to the people of that State. The United States government had proposed a treaty with the Republic of Panama under which this canal was to be constructed upon terms of liberality to Colombia. The treaty was agreed to by the representative in Washington of the Colombian government, but the Colombian Senate refused to ratify it, imposing terms which the United States could not entertain. The people of Panama, seeing that this great enterprise, in which they were so deeply concerned, was about to come to naught through the avarice or stupidity or what not of the Colombian Senate, took matters into their own hands. They seceded from the Union of States of Colombia, and set up a government of their own. Whether or not they had a right under their articles of Confederation" to secede, we do not know, but they had the "divine right of revolution," and they acted upon it, and Secretary Hay and President Roosevelt evidently justified them in their course.

And be it remembered that this revolt was for business reasons only. The people of Panama wanted the canal, the government of Colombia was standing in the way, and the people of Panama rebelled and set up a government of their own. It was secession, pure and simple, and as soon as Panama seceded it was recognized as a new republic by the President of the United States.

Naturally and necessarily, this turns the thoughts of the Southern people to a somewhat similar event which occurred in the early sixties. Certain States of the South, being dissatisfied with the manner in which they were treated by the United States Government, exercised their rights as sovereign States, exercised the rights which they reserved to themselves when they entered into the Union, seceded from the United States and set up the Southern Confederacy. "On the part of these States," said Mr. Stephens, "which had allied themselves in a common cause, war was maintained and carried on purely in defence of this great right claimed by them of State sovereignty and self-government, which they, with their associates had achieved in their common struggle with Great Britain, under the declaration of 1776, and which, in their judgment, lay at the foundation of the whole structure of America's free institution."

The Southern States did not make war upon the United States; they seceded, but all that they asked was to be let alone. They did not propose to interfere with other States which remained in the Union. They did not propose to coerce any State into the Confederacy nor to lift their hand against the United States of the North. They proposed simply to withdraw from the Union, which had become distasteful and oppressive to them, and they took this course in the interest of peace. If they had been let alone, there had been no war. The war was not brought on by the South, but by the North. The President of the United States at that time thought that secession was a thing not to be tolerated, and he called for troops to whip the South back into the Union.

But sentiment in Washington has changed since that day. President Roosevelt and his Secretary of State and the members of his Cabinet evidently think that secession in Panama is a very beautiful thing and full of righteousness. "O, noble secessionists," they say, "peace be unto you. Have a canal with us." It is an interesting coincidence that the secession Republic of Panama was recognized on the very day that the Confederate veterans were celebrating the Crater fight in Ptersburg. It seems to us, therefore, most appropriate that the secession Republic of Panama, which is composed of one State, should adopt as its standard "The Bonnie Blue Flag That Bears a Single Star." —*Richmond Times-Dispatch.*

LAWYERS NOT PRIVILEGED PERSONS

An opinion was handed down in the North Carolina Supreme Court on Tuesday in a case in which an attorney from New York while attending the Federal Court at Raleigh claimed that he was exempt from service of summons in a civil cause. Yesterday's Raleigh *News and Observer* says:

"An opinion was handed down yesterday in the Supreme Court that declared in unequivocal terms that lawyers, whether at home or abroad, whether attending court or not, are not exempt from being served with summons in civil cases. It was a concurring opinion in the case of H. T. Greenleaf vs. The People's Bank, of New York, from Dare county, written by Chief Justice Walter Clark, affirming the opinion of the court, by Associate Justice Montgomery. Associate Justice Douglas also concurred in the opinion of Judge Clark.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Of course "the honor of the United States has been dragged in the mud of Panama," but don't we get the canal?—*Raleigh News and Observer.*

—— The Buncombe gentleman who volunteered the information that the South would be solid for Cleveland was doubtless drawing on his imagination to some extent: but it is a fact all the same that there are thousands of people in this part of the country who would be glad of an opportunity to throw up their hats for "Old Grover."—*Raleigh Post.*

—— That Asheville man who wired to New York that North Carolina is solid for Cleveland will hear something drop if an attempt is made to get a delegation for him. The Democratic party in North Carolina is practically solid for a Democrat who keeps his Democracy on straight. That excludes Cleveland.—*Raleigh News and Observer.*

—— Old line Republicans have a right to feel riled at the treatment accorded them by the administration. Here is the Rev. Ki Gudger, a professional flopper, drawing a fat salary and having notoriety heaped upon him—the two things dearest to Ki's heart—while such veterans as J. Wiley Shook are being deposed. Surely the fortune of the North Carolina Republicans are not to be envied.—*Salisbury Daily Sun.*

—— Hon. George Rountree, of New Hanover, has accepted a position as member of the New Hanover County Board of Education. There is need that the ablest and best men in all counties give the public the benefit of their wisdom. Mr. Rountree, a very busy lawyer, with a large practice, shows the right civic spirit to serve in a position of great usefulness with no reward except the reward every large-minded man finds in performing a public duty.—*Raleigh News and Observer.*

—— In view of the fact that we have been among those who criticised Prof. Bassett, of Trinity College, we have done him the justice to read his explanation. Prof. Bassett says his language was misinterpreted. If so, there are lots of folks in North Carolina who fail to understand plain English. Trinity should not suffer for this stupendous blunder of Prof. Bassett, but in justice to that institution he should resign from the faculty at once.—*Salisbury Daily Sun.*

——It would appear to be perfectly safe from the administration standpoint to call upon the President for the correspondence relating to the government's connection with the surprising developments on the Isthmus of Panama. It will be an easy matter to reply that there is no correspondence. It seems that the negotiations were conducted by the agents who reported orally. There is a certain degree of astuteness about the strenuous President's way of doing business that compels admiration in spite of many things that we cannot commend unreservedly. —*Raleigh Post.*

A Quick Witted Tramp.

A strange and heroic rescue was made by a tramp near Peru, Ind., recently, but he did not even stop to tell his benefactor his name or receive his thanks. An old man was walking along a railroad track near that place and did not hear the whistle of a fast express. A tramp jumped from the trucks of a passing freight, pushed the old man from the track and jumped back on to the freight train almost before the man realized the danger he had been in. —Springfield Republican.

A Land Bill Love Feast.

When Secretary Wyndham met the representatives of the Irish landlords and tenants and laid before them his land purchase scheme, William O'Brien pushed his chair back from the table and exclaimed, "For the first time in my life I say 'God save the king!'" Lord Clanricarde, the most unpopular and most unmerciful of Irish landlords, capped this utterance with the words, "For the first time in my life I say 'God save Ireland!'"

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. Price 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

All Seamen

know the comforts of having on hand a supply of Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk. It can be used so agreeably for cooking in coffee tea and chocolate. Lay in a supply for all kinds of expeditions. Avoid unknown brands.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*, Nov. 11th: The tobacco breaks at the warehouses are increasing in importance and the farmers are pleased at the better prices.

— The aged widow of the Confederate General L. O'B. Branch, who was killed while leading his brigade at Sharpsburg, died at Raleigh on the night of November 8th.

— Rev. T. H. Pegram, of Winston-Salem, the oldest member of the Western North Carolina Conference, will ask for superannuated relation at the annual session which convened at High Point yesterday. Mr. Pegram has been preaching for sixty years.

— Asheville *Citizen*, November 10th: There have been many kinds of fruit of this season's second crop brought to the *Citizen*, but Ernest Israel, 81 Woodfin street, breaks all records, having brought to this office yesterday two well developed early June apples. Mr. Israel claims this is the fourth crop.

— Raleigh *Post*, Nov. 11: Mr. J. C. McNeill, of Laurinburg, representative in the Legislature from Scotland county, was here yesterday to ask Governor Aycock for a pardon for Meekin Saunders, sentenced for twenty years for killing a superintendent in a cotton mill. Saunders has a wife and small children in need.

— Washington *Gazette-Messenger*: Some time ago the government advertised for sealed bids for the location of the Postoffice in this city, so far three landlords have responded. —— Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Miss Mary Blow, sister of Mrs. N. S. Fulford, this city, to Mr. Haywood Dail, Jr., at Greenville Wednesday, November 18th, 1903.

— Richmond *Headlight*: The public schools of the county were opened last Monday. In these, we feel a deep interest and would impress parents with the importance of starting their children at the beginning of the term and never allowing them to miss a day when it can be possibly avoided. Remember, kind friends, that after 1908 your son cannot vote unless he can read and write.

— The Colored Baptist Education Missionary Convention of North Carolina met in Durham last Tuesday night and will be in session till Sunday. Dr. J. C. Kilgo spoke Wednsday night on ministerial education. About 200 delegates will be present, representing about 140,000 colored North Carolina Baptists. About $6,000 for missions and education has been raised in North Carolina this year.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*, Nov. 11: Judge James E. Shepherd left yesterday morning for Washington, D. C., where he will appear for the State with Attorney General Gilmer in the case of Simms vs. the Norfolk and Western Railroad, involving the right of the State to tax sewing machines shipped from Chicago and delivered by express agents.

— The Washington, N. C., *Gazette-Messenger*, announcing the death on the 6th instant of Mr. J. Griffin Hill, in the 54th year of his age, says: "Mr. Hill was one of the leading citizens of Chocowinity, one of its largest merchants, and to him as much as any other citizen is that town indebted for its rapid advancement in recent years. Born and reared in this county, his entire life has been spent among his own people, who had learned to look upon him as their friend."

— On Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock the residence of Hon. Wilson G. Lamb, at Williamston, was badly damaged by fire. The family escaped. Miss Mayo Lamb, with rare presence of mind, groped her way through the smoke and heat down the stairs and carried her little niece to a place of safety, then returned to show the way to the others who were still above the stairs. The fire was within the wall about the stairway and was burning at a furious rate.

— Winston-Salem *Sentinel*, Nov. 9th: Price Neely returned Saturday from Charlotte with his string of horses. He will winter at Piedmont Park and will train several racers for local horsemen. —— Mr. Lindsay Patterson, who recently purchased fourteen acres of land near the peach orchard, West Salem, is arranging to have several nice cottages built. —— Mr. A. J. Klutz, who has been with E. W. O'Hanlon for the past five years, has resigned and will go to Greensboro to take an interest in the Farris Drug Company. This company soon will be incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000 and will be known as the Farris-Klutz Company.

Special Rate Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Raleigh, N. C.—Meeting State Association of County Superintendents of Public Instruction. Tickets on sale Nov. 9th, 10th and 11th; final limit Nov. 14th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, $6.55.

Dunn, N. C.—State Holiness Convention. Tickets on sale Nov, 2d, 3d and 4th; final limit Nov. 13th. Fare from Wilmington for round trip, $5.05.

Winston-Salem — Annual Conference Methodist Protestant Church. Tickets on sale Nov. 16th, 17th and 18th; final limit Nov. 25th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, $9.70. †

Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an advertisement of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, soften the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for 'Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup' and take no other kind †

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SUFFERED A THOUSAND DEATHS

Five Physicians had done their best to cure James Wilkes, of Dillon, S. C., who had one of the most terrible cases of RHEUMATISM on record. They all failed until one doctor prescribed—

Rheumacide

IT CURED HELPLESS CRIPPLE.

Mr. Wilkes writes in the course of a long letter, dated August 18, 1902: "My legs were drawn back until my feet touched my hips. I was as helpless as a baby for nearly 12 months. The muscles of my arms and legs were hard and shriveled up. I suffered death many times over. Was treated by six different physicians in McColl, Dillon and Marion, but none of them could do me any good, until Dr. J. P. Ewing, of Dillon, told me to try your RHEUMACIDE. I began to take it, and before the first bottle was used up I began to get better. I used 5½ bottles and was completely cured." Dr. J. P. Ewing confirms Mr. Wilkes' statement in every particular.

FREE TRIAL BOTTLE SENT ON APPLICATION TO
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A LITTLE NONSENSE.

The Complaints of an Eleven-month old Baby.

I am a baby eleven months old and nearly worn out already. Please let me alone.

I am not a prodigy except to the extent that, not having anything to say, I don't talk. Two big persons claim to be my parents. Why can't they let it go at that? I have never denied the charge. I haven't much data to go by, but I don't think I am either a magician, a learned pig or a virtuoso. I don't hanker for applause; so it will be an appreciated favor if you won't put me through any parlor tricks.

If I have my wealthy old Uncle Ezra's nose, congratulate Uncle Ezra, but don't blame me. I may be a kleptomaniac, for all I know, but I can't help it.

Don't rattle rattles at me; they rattle me. Don't googoo and ootsie-kootsie at me. I can't understand it any better than I can the English language.

The pain I have is not in my stomach, but in my neck. I don't want to be entertained or mystified or medicated or applauded. And if you don't want me to grow up to be a hypochondriac, a stamp collector, an awful example, a pingpong enthusiast or a misanthrope you just lemme be!—Smart Set.

Gifted.

Miss T.—She has wonderful conversational powers.

Mr. J.—But she doesn't talk a great deal.

Miss T.—No; I never knew any one who showed such discretion in the selection of things to be left unsaid.

Eggs and Gout.

It has long been known that eggs were unsuitable food for gouty subjects, but certain physicians of standing now affirm that they are not fit for human consumption, being too highly concentrated for the digestive organs to manage. Eggs, they say, not only aggravate gout, but cause it. A New York physician who has made a reputation as a dietician will not allow any of his patients to eat eggs more than once in three months and even discourages custards and other dishes made with eggs.—New York Post.

Violins and X Rays.

A writer in Electricity says it has been discovered that the aging of a violin can be artificially secured by exposing the wood to X rays. The beautiful tone which has heretofore resulted from a natural aging of the wood for fifty or sixty years can thus be obtained in a single day. If this be true, Stradivarius violins will be no longer at a premium except in so far as perfection of manufacture is concerned, though it is probable that, as in most other processes, the natural aging will yield the better tone.

Fresh Air Tablets.

Fresh air tablets are a preparation discovered by a French scientist. It was while investigating acetylene that he discovered that he could combine certain chemicals into a tablet which on being dropped into water dissolved and gave forth pure oxygen. These tablets will be exceedingly useful in a closed carriage, a submarine boat, a mine or anywhere else where the air has become vitiated.

A Gleam From the Golden Gate.

Inclosed please find check for 6 dozen bottles of Cheney's Expectorant. My customers inquire frequently for it, and if the demand continues I will have to order in larger quantities.

ROY E. SIMPSON.

San Francisco, Cal.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

CORK TREES.

Spain is still the largest cork wood producing country in the world. Nearly all the cork wood used the world over is grown on the Mediterranean littoral, with the exception of Portugal, Spain, Algeria, France, Tunis and Italy being the countries that produce it. None is grown in Syria or Asia Minor and an inconsiderable quantity in Turkey and Greece. Several of the Mediterranean islands, and notably Corsica, produce it in considerable quantities. The cork trees will produce cork in continually increasing quantity until they are over 200 years old. The trees are stripped every seven years. On an average a cork tree produces 675 pounds of cork in sixty years. The exports of cork wood from Portugal, Spain, Algeria, France, Tunis and Italy amounted in 1901 in value to nearly $14,000,000.

A Kingly Bullfighter.

The king of Portugal, among his other accomplishments, is, or was, an accomplished bullfighter. Once, when Duke of Braganza, he entered the ring to face a bull "with points unbated"—that is to say, with its horns not padded, as is generally the case in Portugal as distinguished from Spain. One of the ladies of the court had dared the duke to face a bull with its horns bared, and so he entered the arena in the Spanish manner, incognito, though every one knew who the bold banderillo was.

Unfortunately the duke slipped and fell; but, starting up before the bull could charge again, he ran for the barricade and cleared it at a bound just a moment or two before the infuriated animal splintered the woodwork with its horns.

Modern Liberty.

The Stepdaughters of the Revolution were in convention assembled.

"Madam President," said an eloquent member from Gotham, "the day has come when we must make our influence felt upon our beloved country."

A patter of refined applause ran around the hall.

"I move," cried the member, "that we go in a body to the next session of congress and demand in clarion tones that the Goddess of Liberty be represented hereafter as wearing a straight front. Why, the dowdy old back number statues they are erecting now are a disgrace to us and the laughing stock of every foreigner who knows what the fashions are."—Judge.

Austria's State Secrets.

The Austrian imperial archives have been lately conveyed from the Hofburg to the great house built for for them adjoining the foreign office. They will later on be opened for public inspection, from the most ancient documents down to those of 1840. The rooms containing the secret archives are of ironwork, each story being completely separated from the next one, so that neither fire nor water can penetrate. Hose supplying abundance of water is fixed in every direction, the windows can neither be melted by fire nor destroyed by blows, and the ornamental ironwork before each window can be unlocked in case of emergency.

Financed.

"He says that he has paid every cent he owed."

"Where did he get the money?"

"Borrowed it."—Brooklyn Life.

Of Two Evils.

He—You're getting your hat ruined.

She—Well, it's an old hat, and I do hate to wet my new umbrella.—Detroit Free Press.

There are animals purporting to be whales a-swim in the ocean of Fame of whom Posterity will easily pack a dozen at a time into a sardine box.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—136 bales cotton, 21 barrels tar, 37 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—747 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,518 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels tar, 25 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—544 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—33 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine 75 barrels rosin, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Highlander—55 bales cotton, 39 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 66 barrels tar, 63 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—13 casks spirits turpentine, 5 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Sanders—16 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—4 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin.

Total—3,053 bales cotton, 87 casks spirits turpentine, 190 barrels rosin, 130 barrels tar, 153 barrels crude turpentine.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 55c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $1.35@1.30; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 2.80@2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	87
Rosin	190
Tar	120
Crude turpentine	153

Receipts same day last year—31 casks spirits turpentine, 410 barrels rosin, 163 barrels tar, 116 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady at 10¼c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 7¾c for middling.

Receipts—8,052 bales; same day last year, 1,520.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77½c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 85c.

CORN—Firm, 65@70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 13½c.

EGGS—Dull at 17@18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 3@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Money on call strong at 5½@5½ per cent, closing bid 5 per cent., offered at 5 per cent.; time loans were firmer: sixty days 6 per cent., ninety days 6 per cent.; six months 5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, then steady; actual business in bankers bills at 483.10@483.15 for demand and at 479@479.10 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 480@481½ and 484@485½. Commercial bills 478¾. Bar silver 56¾. Mexican dollars 43½. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 106¾; U.S. refunding 2's, coupon, 106¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 134½; do. coupons 134½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 111; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 111; U.S. 5's, registered, 101¼; do. coupon, 101¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 112½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 87; Chesapeake & Ohio 28¼; Manhattan L 138½; New York Central 115½; Reading 41; do. 1st preferred 76; do. 2nd preferred 57; St. Paul 136½; do. pref'd, 173; Southern Railway 16¾; do. pref'd 71½; Amalgamated Copper 37½; People's Gas 93¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 26½; U. S. Leather 7; U. S. Leather, preferred, 75½; Western Union 82¾; U. S. Steel 10½; do. preferred 50¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 18½; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 85; sales — shares. Standard Oil 650.

BALTIMORE, MD, Nov. 11.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 12¾@13¾; do. preferred, 31@33; do. bonds, fours, 67¾@69¾. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 106@108; do. preferred, 105.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Rosin nominal. Spirits turpentine firm.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 11.—Spirits turpentine steady at 55¾; sales 325 casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B, C, $2 05; D, $2 05, E, $2 10; F, $2 25; G, $2 30; H, $2 35; I, $3 60; K, $2 70; M, $2 80; N, $3 00; W G, $3 15; W W $3 40.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 11.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 55½c; receipts 400 casks; sales 476 casks; exports — casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 1,704 barrels; sales 1,854 barrels; exports — barrels: Quote: A, B, C, $2 05; D, $2 05; E, $2 10; F, $2 25; G, $2 30; H, $2 35; I, $2 70; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 10; W G, $3 25; W W $3 50.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 2 points to a decline of three points, the irregularity being with the rather conflicting nature of the early news which included firmer cables than expected and rather unsettled weather as opposed to reports of an unfavorable turn in far Eastern affairs and the prospect for continued full receipts. At first there was some disposition to sell and prices on the call worked a little lower, but almost immediately the market was rallied very sharply by the aggressive attitude of the bulls, covering of shorts and the execution of over night buying orders from various sources. The strength and activity of spot cotton in the English market was a prominent feature in the advance and private reports continue to come to the effect that the spinners were buying freely at interior points. Influenced by these various factors, the market was rapidly advanced and ruled very active and excited, no check in the upward movement being apparent until the previous high level had been reached and in some instances passed. This reported a net gain of from nineteen to twenty-one points on the active options and substantial gains since the low level of the previous day, and profits were sufficiently attractive to bring about very heavy realizing. Bull confidence was also shaken by reports that Fall River spinners have decided upon a reduction of 10 per cent. in wages, it being argued that the cut might easily lead to a strike and a consequent reduction if only temporarily in spinners' takings. The market was weak all the afternoon and was finally barely steady at very near the lowest of the session and net two points higher to six points lower. Sales were estimated at 900,000 bales. Port receipts for the day were heavy, though not so large as yesterday, and exports were full. The Southern spot markets were generally unchanged to ⅛c higher, but this fact had no apparent influence on the market. Private advices are reaching here that the movement is likely to show a falling off after the next two or three days.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Cotton quiet at 11.15c; net receipts 235 bales; gross receipts 9,254 bales; stock 78,710 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: November 10.77, December 10.89, January 10.91, February 10.95, March 11.00, April 11.00, May 11.01, June 11.01, July 11.00, August 10.84.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 11.15; middling gulf 11.40c; sales 130 bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 65,677 bales; exports to Great Britain 36,670 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 11,596 bales; Mexico — bales; stock 707,845 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 305,372 bales; exports to Great Britain 121,750 bales; exports to France 21,010 bales; exports to the Continent 78,817 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 1,450 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,680,246 bales; exports to Great Britain 815,892 bales; exports to France 261,063 bales; exports to the Continent 725,336 bales; exports to Japan 3,680 bales; exports to Mexico 13,938 bales.

Nov 11—Galveston, firm at 10 3-16c, net receipts 24,110 bales; Norfolk, steady at 11c, net receipts 3,373 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11.15c, net receipts 95 bales; Wilmington, steady at 10.75c, net receipts 3,052 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 11.40c, net receipts 25 bales; Savannah, firm at 10¾, net receipts 14,246 bales; New Orleans, firm at 10 13-16c, net receipts 19,587 bales; Mobile, firm at 10½c, net receipts 616 bales; Memphis, firm at 10¼c, net receipts 4,570 bales; Augusta, firm at 10¾c, net receipts 3,406 bales; Charleston, firm at 10½c, net receipts 448 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Flour was dull and weak; Minnesota bakers' $3 75@3 90. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red 83¾c. Options closed ¾@1¼c net lower: May closed 81c; July closed —c; December closed 83¾. Corn—Spot easier; No. 2 50¼c. Option market closed heavy at ¼@1¼c net decline, making new low prices for the season May closed 47½c; July 47¼c; December closed 48¾c. Oats—Spot easy; No. 2 40½. Pork easy; mess $13 75@13 50. Lard easy; refined easy. Tallow steady. Eggs—Market firm; State and Pennsylvania fancy mixed 30@31c. Butter quoted steady; extra creamery 23½c; State dairy 15@18c. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6½c; mild firm; Cordova 7¾@13¾c. Sugar—Raw nominal; refined quiet. Cheese steady; State, full cream fancy, small colored, September 11¾; October 10¾; small white, September 11¼c; October 10¾. Rice steady. Peanuts were quiet; fancy hand-picked 4¾@5c; other domestic 3@4¼. Potatoes were steady; Jersey $1 25@2 00; Long Island $1 75@3 25; State, Eastern and Western $1 50@2 00; Jersey sweets $1 50@3 50. Cabbage steady; domestic, per 100, $3 00@6 00; per barrel 75c@$1 00. Freights to Liverpool —Cotton by steam 15c. Molasses steady. Cotton seed oil was fairly steady but without notable business outside of jobbing sales. Quotations: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 25@25½c; prime summer yellow 33½@34c spot, November 33@33½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 37@38c; prime winter yellow 38@40c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—General liquidation in both the grain and provision pits caused lower prices all around on the Board of Trade to day, December wheat closing ¾c lower. December corn was down ½@¾c, oats were off ½@¾c, while January provisions were from 7½@12½c lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—Cash prices: Flour active but weak. Wheat—No. 2, spring —c; No. 3 spring 75@76c; No. 2 red 76¾@79¾. Corn—No. 2 42½c; No. 2 yellow 43¼c. Oats—No. 2 34½c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 33½@37c. Rye—No. 2 53¼c. Mess pork, per bbl, $11 62½@11 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 85@6 87½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 25@7 87½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, not quoted. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 75@7 00. Whiskey —Basis of high wines, $1 25.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December, new, 77¼@77¾, 77¾, 76¼, 76¾; May 77¼@77¾, 77⅝@77¾, 76¼ 76⅝; July 73⅝@73⅞, 74, 73¼, 73¼@73⅝. Corn—No. 2 December 42¾@43¼, 43¾, 42, 42½@42¾c; May 42¾, 42¾@42¾, 41¾, 41½c; July 42½@42¾, 42½@42¾, 41¼, 41⅝. Oats—No. 2 December 34½, 34½, 33¾, 33¾@34c; May 35½@35⅝, 35⅞, 35, 35c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $11 80, 11 82½, 11 62½, 11 62½; May $11 85, 11 95, 11 70, 11 73½. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $6 82½, 6 85, 6 73½, 6 73½; January $6 75, 6 80, 6 77½, 6 67½; May $6 70, 6 77½, 6 65, 6 65. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $6 17½, 6 20, 6 10, 6 10; May $6 27½, 6 32½, 6 20, 6 22½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 11.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand; prices fourteen points higher; American middling fair 6.30d; good middling 6.12d; middling 6.04d; low middling 5.98d; good ordinary 5.88d; ordinary 5.68d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,000 bales American. Receipts 8,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened firm and closed firm; American middling (g o c): November 5.96@5.97d; November and December 5.90@5.91d; December and January 5.87@5.88d; January and February 5.86d; February and March 5.86d; March and April 5.85@5.86d; April and May 5.85@5.86d; May and June 5.85d; June and July 5.84d; July and August 5.83d.

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SUSAN or KEZIAH?

By LAWRENCE PERRY

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Judge Tunis Crane put the last shutter over the front window of his store, slung the bar across and snapped the padlock. Then he turned and gazed thoughtfully along the turnpike to where a single light glimmered through a grove of cherry trees. The judge always became sentimental at this hour of the evening. As a matter of fact he was in love and, what is more, admitted it to himself. This takes rare courage sometimes, but it takes even rarer courage under certain conditions to admit it to any one else. That was what bothered Judge Crane.

The judge was not much over fifty years old. His store, the one town store, yielded good profits. He was a bachelor, not a widower; was well preserved, a former judge in the town court and always a deacon. Oh, no; he was not ashamed of his personal assets. The trouble was that he was not quite sure with whom he was in love. There were two of them—two maiden sisters, Susan Appleby and Keziah Appleby. Both of them appealed to Judge Crane in one way or another, and for ten years he had been trying to decide which one appealed to him the more. But thus far his efforts had yielded him little satisfaction.

He paced thoughtfully up and down the porch, with his hands locked under his coattails. He closed his eyes, and the picture of Keziah drifted slowly across his mind. It was in church that he loved her most. He could see her now in her pew just in front of his. Her shoulders did not come very far above the high back seat, and a few curls straggled from under the black bonnet. One eye was hazel, the other a watery blue, and her hands were folded demurely in her lap. She wore a black waist cut down a little at the throat and edged with lavender silk and lace, and she had a humorous little simper at the corners of her mouth. On Sundays the simper was allowed to fade, but the telltale lines remained.

There was no nonsense about Susan—tall, straight, angular, her bonnet perked up straight on her head like a grenadier, blue eyes and a straight, tight shut mouth. She could say things, and she got up church sociables and missionary societies. Judge Crane sighed.

A few minutes later he unclasped his hands and transferred them gleefully to the armholes of his vest. He had come to a decision. He would consult a third party. But whom? There were two he had in mind, Zebulon, the brother, and Matilda, the eldest sister, a widow. All in all, he thought Zebulon would be the better of the two. Yes, he would go to his old friend and confess all. He would secure information as to the qualities of both from the standpoint of one who had spent his life with them, and he would also make inquiry as to which one would most likely award his suit with a favorable answer.

"Hello, jedge!" It was Zebulon himself who stumped up the steps and sat down at the top with a grunt. "Nice evenin'."

"Hello, Zeb—um—yes, a tol'able evenin'. How air ye?" And the judge seated himself beside the prospective adjuster of his destiny.

"About as well as a man kin be with a passel of women folks about him all the time," grumbled Zebulon, filling his pipe.

"What's the matter of 'em?" queried the judge, apparently unconcerned.

"Matter?" snorted Zebulon. "Matter? Why, everything's the matter. Ef it ain't one thing it's another—sewin' societies, housecleanin', visitin', church, prayer meetin', entertainin' the parson an' talk, talk, talk, nothin' but talkin' from sunrise to supper. Bah! Women is well enough in their places, but three on 'em is too derned much. Two on 'em old maids too! Why don't Providence send some one to marry 'em? It ain't right, it's ag'in natur', for one man to be pestered so."

"Um—waal, that is kind o' bad, Zeb. I'm sorry they've riled ye, because I was jest a-goin' to ask yer honest opinion which one to pick out. I'm a-goin' to git married if I kin," And Judge Crane blew his nose vigorously.

"Arrump! Huh!" Zebulon sat up. The judge sat with his jaws tight shut and his eyes stared fixedly into the road. Zebulon snorted again and regained his self control. Had heaven smiled on him at last? Had he said too much? He knew whom he wished married. Keziah would do, but Susan was the one to whose wedding he would dance all the way. He recalled her masterly ways, her trenchant tongue. Was it to be stilled for him by the bonds of matrimony? He turned to the judge.

"Waal," he said, drawing his handkerchief across his eyes, "I kin talk an' growl, but when the pinch comes, jedge, I don't see how I kin live without 'em. Keziah is good, jedge, but Susan, she is the one for ye. I know. She wants to git married. She said herself 'twould soften her, although Lord knows she don't need it. She's good an' kind an' lovin', an' she's got a good strong mind—a good strong mind. Yas, sir; I recommend Susan," concluded Zebulon.

"Well," said the judge, "ye ought to know, Zeb. Wants to get married, does she? Waal, she would 'a' been long ago had I not been afeared to ask her. I'm scared yet, Zeb, to tell the truth. What I want is the ice broken, eh?"

Zebulon was too overjoyed to stop at anything which might strengthen the judge in his quest. He actually offered to take the judge to his sister, state the case and then leave the two alone. For reply the judge rose decidedly to his feet. "Come," he said.

So they trudged along the road together, Zebulon quietly radiant, the judge stern and determined.

Ten minutes later they entered the Appleby house. A raucous, twangy voice came from the parlor.

"She's in there," whispered Zebulon, and he pushed open the door and entered with his hand reaching back holding the skirt of the judge's coat.

Both were there—Keziah and Susan.

"How d'e do, jedge?" they exclaimed, rising. But the judge made reply by pushing Zebulon forward.

"Susan," said Zebulon, flushing guiltily. He knew Susan could see right through him. "Susan," he repeated, "ah-ahem. The jedge here—well—ah"—

"Well, ah what?" exclaimed Susan, with sharp impatient inflection.

"The jedge," repeated Zebulon weakly, "waal, I brung him here—O Lor'!" and Zebulon dashed for the door. He stopped at the sill and, pointing at the judge, added, "The jedge, Sue, there he is!" Then he disappeared.

The judge was frozen into a dignified statue. He could see now that it was Susan, but he dared not. Suddenly he thought of Matilda. Ah, she would break the ice for him. Matilda! His face flushed.

"Ladies," he said in sepulchral tones, "will ye kindly inform yer widowed sister Matilda that I desire to see her? Alone," he added.

The sisters swept out of the room, confident that Zebulon and the judge had suddenly gone crazy. Then Matilda entered. She proffered her hand in welcome, and the judge seized it as a drowning man grasps at a straw. He held on. Here at least was something tangible.

And then—well, Susan was not half so tangible. Matilda!

Ten minutes later Zebulon peeked into the parlor. The judge was very close to Matilda, and he was holding her hands. Everything was very still.

"Well, I'll be derned!" said Zebulon.

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In this Department our trade is fine. Our stock is in fine shape and we should be glad to fit you up with prices that Clothiers dare not touch.

We have just received a nice line of Hats for Ladies and Men. We will sell this week the very best Ladies' Beaver Hats at $1.98 each, former price $2.75. We will sell Black Silk Hats made on a frame with velvet crown, all shapes, regular $1.25 goods, now 75 cents. We will also sell this week an Amazon Plume, 15 inches long, regular $3.50 Plumes, for $1.98 each; 14 inch Plumes for $1.50; the 12-inch Plume is $1.

China Department.

In this line of goods we have a large assortment. It represents 20 styles of Lamps from 20c each to $2.50 each. The very best centre draft Rochester, Nickel Lamp at $1.50 each. We also handle a large assortment of tinware and enamel ware, which we sell at all prices, from 10c apiece up. A full line of frying pans from 9 to 12 inches at 10c each. Others get get 15c for the same goods. A nice quality of gold band cups and saucers and plates; $1.25, will buy a complete set of 18 pieces.

We have quite an assortment of decorated blue China Plates. Cups and Saucers, Bowls and Nappies. This week we are also receiving 39 barrels of Glassware. We are selling Jelly Glasses at 2½c each; good Tumblers at 3c each; Water Bottles at 20c each; Water sets, one pitcher and six glasses at 39c a set; Fruit and Berry Dishes and Cake Stands from 10c to 50c each. Punch Bowls, looks like cut glass, holds 15 quarts and weighs 30 pounds; regular price $5.00; my price $2.98 each. We are after your trade, and if prices, goods and values have any influence, we hope to add you to the list of our many subscribers. If not, why not? We treat you cleverly and give you a present free. At

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3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave		Arrive / Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M. / A. M.
	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05 /
	4 32	Kinston	10 12 /
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37 / 9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 23 / 7 37
P. M.	P. M.		A. M. / A. M.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:15 p. m, arrive Lumberton 5:35 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m. arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 5:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m	
Ar Monroe	9 05 a m	12 15 a m	
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....	
Ar Chester	10 25 a m	1 35 a m	
Ar Greenwood	12 23 p m	3 43 a m	
Ar Athens	3 50 p m	6 05 a m	
Ar Atlanta	8 50 p m	7 50 a m	

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 25 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	3 30 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Ar Norfolk		

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 25 p m
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	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 32 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 35 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 38 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 28 a m	9 13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 02 a m	11 32 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	3 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 56 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 31 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 48 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 37 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 18 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	5 30 p m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	8 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa		10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa		8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville		7 30 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah		12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston		4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence		7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington		11 20 p m	1 40 p m

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Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	Ar 7 50 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 35 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 23	7 37
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train, West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

oct 23 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 12

YESTERDAY IN THE CONGRESS

Petitions and Many Bills Presented in the Senate—The House Was in Session But Five Minutes.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The Senate began business in earnest to-day by receiving for the first time in the session a number of petitions and also many bills. Some of the petitions protested against Senator Smoot, of Utah, remaining in the Senate.

In presenting a numerously signed petition asking the Senate to expedite the consideration of the charges against Mr. Smoot, Mr. Hoar took occasion to remind the senders of petitions bearing upon Mr. Smoot's case that the proceeding is out of order and improper. He based his remarks upon the fact that the determination of Mr. Smoot's rights will be a purely judicial proceeding, to be determined by the laws and constitution of the United States. "With all due respect to the signers of petitions of this character," he said, "I want to say to them that their petitions are as much out of place when addressed to this high court as similar petitions would be if addressed to the Supreme Court of the United States in any case pending before that tribunal."

After a brief executive session the Senate adjourned.

No Business in the House.

The House was in session but five minutes to-day and adjourned without transacting any business.

Representative W. W. Kitchin, of North Carolina, introduced a resolution to-day providing a new tariff across [illegible] to the constitution; prohibiting national or State legislation establishing or supporting any religion, or prohibiting the free exercise of any religion; also, a resolution repealing the 15th amendment to the constitution.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Miss Hobson Charged With False Arrest and Imprisonment by Her Colored Maid—Damages $10,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The summonses that Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson secured on Monday for the appearance of three people to try and explain the disappearance of jewelry, money and one of his medals, were to-day dismissed. Miss Margaret and her sister had reported their loss. Miss Hobson seemed to be somewhat indefinite about the disappearance of the valuables when she testified to-day, and the judge advised that she drop the case, as he believed there was no warrant for further action. The summonses were then dismissed.

Miss Hobson later was served with papers by the attorneys for her colored maid, Lizzie Britt, in a $10,000 damage suit. The papers charged false arrest and imprisonment and malicious persecution. In her affidavit the maid swore that on the evening of November 5th, while leaving the sanitarium, she was accosted by a man and woman detective, employed by Capt. Hobson. She further averred that she was taken back to the sanitarium and searched and kept there a prisoner all night.

PROTESTS AGAINST SMOOT.

Hundreds of Petitions Filed in the U. S. Senate—Nearly Every State Registers Objections.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Several hundred petitions protesting against Reed Smoot retaining his seat as junior senator from Utah were filed in the Senate to-day. Most of these were offered by Senator Burrows, chairman of the Elections Committee, though nearly every State registered objections through petitions filed by their senators. Churches, religious organizations of all kinds, universities, colleges and other educational institutions, are among the organizations which have filed the protests. Some of these petitions charge that Senator Smoot has practiced polygamy, while others rest their objections on the charge that he is a member of an organization which countenances the practice of plural marriages. Senator Burrows said to-day no action will be taken by the Elections Committee until the vacancy on the committee had been filled, and that it is not likely the charges will be considered before the last week of the special session or the first week of the regular session.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Gen. W. H. Hughes, a Prominent Citizen of Northern New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 11.—General William H. Hughes, assemblyman from Washington county, committed suicide by hanging at his home in Granville to-day. General Hughes was re-elected member of the Assembly at the recent election. His financial failure and his subsequent course in bankruptcy proceedings several months ago created a great sensation in Northern New York. General Hughes employed hundreds of men, and was counted one of the wealthiest men in northern New York. As a member of the Assembly he introduced the bill known as the Hughes bill, which forbids discrimination against a member of the National Guard, either by an employer or by a labor union. In July last he became hopelessly involved, financially, and made an assignment.

Gold to the amount of $1,300,000 was yesterday engaged abroad for import for the City National Bank, of New York.

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IT IS TOO LATE NOW FOR COLOMBIA

To Make Any Effort to Resurrect the Canal Treaty With the United States.

GERMANY IS NOT INVOLVED.

Sympathizes With the United States—Colombians at Buena Ventura—Preparing to Resist Panama Outbreak, Disturbance at Bogota.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—It is stated here on authority that it is too late for Colombia to make any effort to resurrect the canal treaty with the United States, and beyond preventing a hostile clash between Colombia and the new republic of Panama, the proposed visit of General Reyes to Panama will be without result. The same authority points out that the United States government, having recognized Panama as an independent State, cannot now proceed to negotiate with Colombia on any terms for canal rights in a State over which Colombia has no political control; so any future canal negotiations will be between the United States government and the government of Panama.

Mr. Tower, our ambassador at Berlin, has cabled the State Department that he has been requested by Baron Richthoffen, the German foreign secretary, to inform the Washington government that the report that Germany intended to become involved in the isthmian situation is entirely without foundation. Mr. Tower adds that he was further assured by the foreign secretary, in a most earnest and sincere manner, that the question of Germany's interfering in Panama simply did not exist. The report of the State Department to the protest filed by Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge, was forwarded to him to-day. It was merely a formal acknowledgment that the protest had been received.

At Buena Ventura.

PANAMA, Nov. 11.—The United States gunboat Concord, which left here yesterday afternoon, is said to be bound for Buena Ventura. The United States cruisers Boston and Marblehead are here.

The last news received at Panama from Buena Ventura was to the effect that the Colombian authorities were expecting an attack on that port from Panama, that they were building entrenchments and that the Colombian gunboat was being stripped for action.

The municipal council of Panama has unanimously approved a proposition by which Dr. Amador will be considered Panama's "Favorite Son," and has ordered his picture as a hero of the republic to be hung in a prominent place in the hall where the sessions of the council are held. The expense will be borne by the municipality.

Disturbances at Bogota

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The State Department has received a cablegram from United States Minister Beaupre, at Bogota, dated Nov. 9, in which the minister states that large crowds were parading the streets on the 8th inst., crying, "Down with Marroquin." There was a massmeeting denouncing the president and calling for a change of government. Hundreds gathered at the palace and the orator, a prominent national general, called for the resignation of the president. The gathering was dispersed by the troops, several people being wounded, but there were no fatalities. The city was under martial law and well guarded by soldiers. The legation of the United States was under the protection of the government, but there are no indications of hostile demonstrations. The residence of Lorenzo Marroquin (believed here to be a senator and son of the president) has been attacked with stones.

British Steamships.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The State Department has been informed that the two British steamships which were delayed at the port of Buena Ventura by the Colombian government, with the intention of using them to transport troops to the isthmus, have been released and have left that port.

The State Department has decided to request the authorities at Panama to receive General Reyes, who is going to the isthmus on a peace mission from Bogota. It is estimated that he cannot reach his destination within two weeks.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY.

Little or No Opposition Among Republicans in the House to the Bill.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Speaker Cannon was assured to-day by one of the most prominent leaders of the opposition to Cuban reciprocity in the last Congress that there would be little or no opposition among Republicans to the bill carrying into effect the Cuban reciprocity bill. He told the Speaker that the attempt to form an opposition had failed and that the Republicans would not join the Democrats in voting the Morris differential amendment on the bill. The Speaker was assured that the sentiment among the Republicans was to stand by the Speaker; that it would be impolitic to have a division of the party at the beginning of the session.

INJUNCTION DISSOLVED.

Receivers for the Olympia Cotton Mills Dismissed by Judge Simonton.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 11.—In the United States Circuit Court to-day Judge Simonton dismissed the receivers appointed for the Olympia cotton mills, in Columbia, S. C., a $3,500,000 corporation, and dissolved the injunction that had been granted. The receivers were appointed yesterday in the suit of Leonard Phinisey against the mills, but on a further hearing to-day Judge Simonton reversed his action. This leaves the mills free, it is stated, to carry out their plan of re-organization.

DEMOCRATIC SENATORS.

Will Attack Administration in Its Course on the Panama Situation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The Democratic Steering Committee was in session before the Senate met to-day and again considered the Panama question. No conclusion was reached, but the indications are that the Democrats will attack the course of the administration on the isthmus, with reference to the establishment of the new republic of Panama.

NEW ENGLAND COTTON MILLS

A General Reduction of Ten Per Cent. in Wages at Fall River and Taunton, Massachusetts.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FALL RIVER, MASS., Nov. 11.—Notices were posted to day in the cotton mills of this city, announcing a general reduction of 10 per cent. in wages, to take effect November 23. About 30,000 operatives are affected.

The cut-down is attributed to the unsettled state of the cotton goods trade, resulting from the high price of raw material and to a pronounced hesitation to buy on the part of the usual purchasers. The action taken in Fall River is of widespread importance, since action of this nature in this city is usually followed by mill owners in southern and central Massachusetts, Rhode Island and eastern Connecticut, where a total of about 50,000 men are employed.

As soon as the news of the reduction was announced, officials of the Textile Workers Union began making arrangements for a conference to consider the situation. It is thought, now, however, that no general strike will be ordered here at this time, for the reason that many of the manufacturers are short of cotton and have large stocks of goods on hand, which should make a strike of little consequence to them.

TAUNTON, MASS., Nov. 11.—The manager of the Corr Manufacturing Company to-day posted notices in its cotton mills here announcing that a reduction of 10 per cent. in wages would go into effect November 23. About 700 hands are affected.

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 11.—James Tansey, president of the Textile Workers of America, who is here from Fall River attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor, expressed surprise to-day at the notice of a cut-down at Fall River. He said that he did not see how a cut-down would prove a remedy for existing conditions, and would express no opinion whether or not the operatives would resist the reduction. In his opinion other mills in Massachusetts and Southern New England would follow the lead of Fall River, in which case 80,000 to 100,000 operatives would be affected.

A SEVERE STORM RAGING

Pacific Coast Swept—Regular Midwinter Blockade—Snow Four Feet Deep.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SALT LAKE, UTAH, Nov. 11.—The whole Pacific coast from British Columbia to Southern California, and the States of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Utah and Western Colorado, were swept by a storm to-day that has resulted in an almost total prostration of telegraph service over that territory, and in the mountains has all but tied-up the railroads in a regular midwinter blockade. The storm, which is still raging with unabated fury, is severest on the coast. For five days rain has been falling without cessation in the Puget Sound country and wind to-night is blowing at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. In the gorges of the Cascade mountains snow is reported to be four feet deep on the level and is still falling, and railroad traffic is seriously impeded in consequence.

TO RESIST A MOB.

Naval Reserves of Newbern Report to the Sheriff of the County.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 11.—A special from Newbern, N. C., says:

A report having reached here that a mob is on its way from Trenton, Jones county, to release a man named Dixon, who killed one Weber in that county, the Newbern division of naval reserves have reported to the sheriff of this county for duty at the jail.

At 11 o'clock to-night the court house square is under guard of the naval reserves. It is generally believed here that the report of men coming here to free Dixon is a mere blind to conceal a movement toward Goldsboro to secure Alfred Daniel, the murderer of the father of Senator F. M. Simmons.

WARM WIRELETS

The monument to Ohio troops on Mission Ridge, Tenn., will be dedicated to-day with elaborate ceremonies. Three hundred Ohioans are there to participate.

The Italian third class cruiser Liguri, now at New Orleans, has been instructed to proceed to Santo Domingo, if the revolution there renders such a step necessary for the protection of Italian subjects.

J. R. Henry, an ex-Confederate soldier and a great grandson of the famous orator and statesman, Patrick Henry, was struck by a Norfolk & Western train at Elliston, ten miles west of Roanoke, Va., and killed.

The auxiliary cruiser Yankee arrived in Hampton Roads yesterday. About 500 marines will be embarked and the warship will proceed to Colon before the end of the week. The cruiser Buffalo will start for the isthmus to-day.

The strike of street railway motormen at Waco, Texas, begun September 27th, was declared off yesterday. The motormen surrendered unconditionally, admitting their defeat. Several have made application to the company for reinstatement.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the North Carolina Midland Railroad at Winston-Salem yesterday, a dividend of two and a half per cent. was declared, this being the first dividend declared since the road was built. The old officers were re-elected.

Grace In Old Forests.

Some trees are more graceful than others. The elm and oak are noted for their perfect and graceful form. All their branches appear to be perpetually moving, stirred by every wind that blows, and the same may be said of the pine. The graceful movements of its limbs, the sighing sounds of its stems and evergreen needles, send forth a solemn symphony. Everything contributes serene grace and simplicity to old forests.

Behind Her Back.

"She's very studious," said one woman.

"Yes," answered the other.

"And doesn't seem to care for gossiping in the least."

"Oh, I don't know about that," answered the other with a smile; "she merely prefers to talk about Helen of Troy and Romeo and Juliet to paying attention to what is going on in her own neighborhood."—Washington Star.

What you pay for extracts is important, but what you get for your money is ten times more important. Burnett's vanilla costs more because it is worth more.

U. D. C. CONVENTION AT CHARLESTON.

Great Gathering of Daughters of the Confederacy in Annual Session.

CONGRATULATORY MESSAGES

Design for Memorial to President Jefferson Davis Presented and Accepted. To be Erected in Richmond at a Cost of $70,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 11.—The tenth annual general convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy, three hundred strong, was opened at Hibernian Hall this morning, while hundreds of school children sang "Dixie." The walls were hung with red and white bunting, with portraits of great Confederate leaders in the intervals. The convention was opened with prayer by Bishop Capers, of this State, formerly a Confederate brigadier general. Eloquent addresses of welcome were made by Mrs. Gen. James Connor, president of the South Carolina Division, U. D. C.; Governor Haywood and Mayor Smyth, and Mrs. Rounsaville, the president of the order, responded. While awaiting the report of the Committee on Credentials, congratulatory telegrams were sent to the Confederate veterans of Georgia, now assembled at Augusta, and to Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, Mrs. Jefferson Davis, Gen. J. B. Gordon, Mrs. E. Kirby Smith, Gen. A. P. Stewart, Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart and Judge J. F. Reagan.

On motion of Mrs. Martha Bruce Reynolds, of Louisville, Ky., president of the "Children of the Confederacy," congratulations were sent to the chapters of children throughout the South. Mrs. M. C. Goodlet, honorary president and founder of the Daughters of the Confederacy, was introduced and received with great enthusiasm.

The main feature of the afternoon session was the presentation and acceptance of the design of a memorial to President Jefferson Davis, by the sculptor, Edward V. Valentine, of Richmond, Va. It is to be erected at Richmond at a cost of $70,000, $62,000 of which is already on hand. The memorial will consist of a stone semi-circular colonade with thirteen columns, including the eleven States which seceded, and the States of Missouri and Kentucky, which were represented in the Confederate Congress. Facing the colonade will be a bronze statue of Mr. Davis and with the colonade will be a granite column fifty feet high surmounted by an allegorical bronze statue of a woman with the inscription from the Confederate seal, "Deo Vindice."

The delegates were entertained to-day by the Colonial Dames, the Sons of Veterans, and by the Memorial Association, this unique reception being given at the Confederate Home and College, the first institution of the kind in the South and which has been in continuous existence since 1868.

A Receptacle For "Stubs."

Many ladies no longer object to the smell of fresh tobacco smoke in their houses, but every one objects to stale fumes. Up till now ash trays have always been used in which to put the end of cigarettes and cigars, but the result of this proceeding was that very often the said ends smoldered for a long time and emitted oppressive fumes. To do away with this a new plan has been started. Little brown ware pots with silver rims are placed conveniently for the smokers, a little water having been put at the bottom of the vase, into which the smoke ends are popped when finished with and thus extinguished at once. Experience has proved that the room preserves its freshness much better in consequence.

Cooked Oranges.

Few people ever think of cooking oranges, and, as a rule, it is just as well that the average busy housekeeper does not attempt to do so. Yet there are ways of cooking this fruit which might often prove convenient. Orange fritters, for instance, are delicious and not at all difficult to prepare. To make them peel and quarter the fruit, being careful to remove all the white pith, and cut the quarters in two. Sprinkle with brandy and powdered sugar and leave for an hour or so. Then remove the pieces, dip them in butter and brown in boiling fat, sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve.

Molded Chicken.

For chicken in mayonnaise select and cook a young fowl. Separate the meat from the skin and the bones and cut the meat into dice. Season lightly with salt, white pepper and celery salt. Make one and a half cupfuls of good mayonnaise dressing and whip into it one cupful of whipped cream. Dissolve one heaping tablespoonful of granulated gelatin in a little hot water and add to the dressing. Mix thoroughly with the chicken and pack in a jelly mold. Stand it on ice until firm, then turn out of the mold and serve on a bed of crisp young lettuce leaves.

Handle It Carefully.

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COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS.

Annual Meeting in Raleigh—Great Growth of Education in the State.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., November 11.—The second annual session of the County Public School Superintendents' Association convened to-day, State Superintendent Joyner presiding. Eighty-six out of ninety-seven superintendents answered roll call. The principal feature of the proceedings to day was State Superintendent Joyner's address, which is a lengthy and valuable document, showing healthy and hopeful progress in the consolidation of districts, local taxation, building, improving school houses and every department of public school work. It shows 88 new local tax districts, making 174 in 165 counties. Dare is first, with eighteen; Guilford second, with seventeen. Decrease in number of school districts this year, 378; decrease in two years, 557. In two years 676 new school houses have been erected. Total reported value of school houses for 1903 $1,000,803, an increase of $476,493 for the past year. Of the public school loan fund $68,311 had been loaned to sixty counties for 177 districts, securing $173,470 additional school property. There is still $45,689. This fund is immediately available. Another $100,000 in State bonds is available in three years. The report shows 50,000 volumes in 600 rural libraries. Salaries of white teachers were increased $1.58 and negroes 44 cents per month the past year. Among the features of work yet to be done Superintendent Joyner will urge further consolidation of districts still without them, raising the standard of teachers and county supervisors. He congratulated county superintendents on an increase of 10,100 in the average daily attendance for white public schools.

Prof. R. D. W. Connor, of Wilmington, read an able paper to-night before the superintendents on the "Life and Character of Calvin H. Wiley," after which a resolution was adopted to prepare five minute declamations to be recited by some boy in each school on "North Carolina Day," when special contributions shall be made by the children to the Wiley monument to be placed in the capitol square at Raleigh.

A resolution introduced by T. W. Costin, Jr., superintendent of Gates county, strongly condemning Prof. Bassett, of Trinity College, for his recent utterances on the negro question, was referred to the committee on resolutions, and it is believed it will not be considered further, as the matter is not considered in the province of the convention by a majority.

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Notice—I will apply to the Board of Aldermen and County Commissioners at the next meeting to retail spirituous and malt liquors at 13th Market street. H. Steiles. [nov 11 30t

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WM. E. SPRINGER,
Mayor.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 10, 1903.

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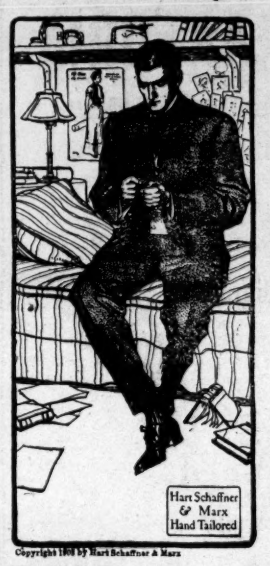

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